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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the above-mentioned application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, at the top, please delete "~~METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING IMAGE OUTPUT~~".

Page 2, at the top, please insert --METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING IMAGE OUTPUT--.

Accordingly, renumber the specification as pages 1-42.

FIN THE ABSTRACT:

Please renumber the page entitled "ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE" to read as page --42--.

REMARKS

The above amendments are made for editorial purposes.

Applicant submits that no questions of new matter should arise and entry is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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